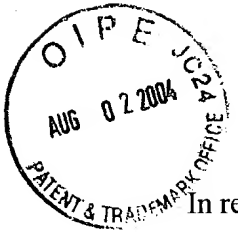


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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is a response for this application.

STATUS

2. Applicant is

XX a small entity

_____ other than a small entity.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (37 CFR 1.8a)

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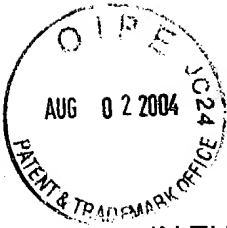
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office action dated June 29, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.

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By: Jellman Gyzelch

EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37CFR 1.136 apply.

(complete (a) or (b) as applicable)

(a) _____ Applicant petitions for an extension of time for the total number of months checked below:

Extension (months)	Fee for other than small entity	Fee for small entity
_____ one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
_____ two months	420.00	210.00
_____ three months	950.00	475.00
_____ four months	1,480.00	740.00

Fee \$ _____

If an additional extension of time is required please consider this a petition therefor.

(check and complete the next item, if applicable)

_____ An extension for _____ months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$ _____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request \$ _____

OR

(b) XX Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims has been calculated as shown below:

(Col. 1)	(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	Small Entity	Other than a Small Entity
Claims Remaining	Highest No.	Present	Addit.	Addit.
After Amendment	Previously	EXTRA Paid for	Rate Fee	Rate Fee
TOTAL 32 MINUS 32	0 x 9 = \$0	x 18 =	\$-0-	
INDEP. 6 MINUS 6 =	0 x 43 = \$0	x 86 =	\$-0-	
First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim	x 145 = \$	x 290 =	\$-0-	
	Total \$	or Total	\$-0-	

* If the Highest No. Previously Paid for in this space is less than 20, enter "20".

** If the Highest No. Previously Paid for in this space is less than 3, enter "3".

c) XX No additional claim fee is required

OR

(d) _____ Total additional claim fee required \$ _____

FEE PAYMENT

5. _____ Attached is a check in the sumount of \$ _____ as payment.
_____ Charge Account No.16,0820 in the sum of \$ _____

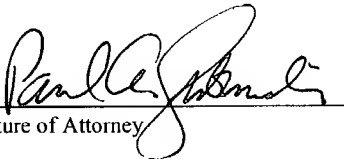
Fee Deficiency

6. XX If any additional extension and/or fee is required, this is the request therefor and to charge Account No. 16,0820 our order no. GWL 36054.

And/Or

XX If any additional fee for claims is required, charge Account No. 16,0830, our order no. GWL.36054.

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